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: TRANSPORTER POLYPEPTIDE AND METHOD OF PRODUCING SAME

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# REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP IN A PATENT **PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.324**

Applicant requests that AKIRA TSUJI be added as an inventor of the above-captioned patent, thereby naming JUN-ICHI NEZU, ASUKA OKU and AKIRA TSUJI as joint inventors. Accompanying this Request to Correct Inventorship in a Patent ("Request") are the following documents required to correct inventorship under 37 C.F.R. § 1.324:

- 1) A Statement by Akira Tsuji indicating that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intent on his part;
- 2) A Statement from current inventors, Jun-Ichi Nezu and Asuka Oku, agreeing to the change of inventorship of the above-captioned patent;
- 3) A Statement from Assignee by CHUGAI SEIYAKU KABUSHIKI KAISHA, Assignee of the above-captioned patent by virtue of a chain of title originating in the originally named inventors, Jun-Ichi Nezu and Asuka Oku, agreeing to the change of inventorship;
- 4) A Certificate by CHUGAI SEIYAKU KABUSHIKI KAISHA, Assignee of the above-captioned patent by virtue of a chain of title originating in the originally named inventors (Jun-Ichi Nezu and Asuka Oku), establishing ownership of the above-captioned patent pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b); and

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5) The requisite fee of \$130.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(b), which is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization.

In view of the enclosed documents, acceptance of this Request is respectfully requested. Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 14875-0057001.

Respectfully submitted,

Attorney's Docket No.: 14875-0057001 / C2-906DP1PCT-US

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# STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.324 THAT ERROR IN INVENTORSHIP OCCURRED WITHOUT DECEPTIVE INTENT

I. Akira Tsuji, declare and state:

- (1) I am a joint inventor of subject matter presently claimed in the above-captioned patent.
- (2) Through error, I was not joined as an inventor at the time the subject patent was filed.
- (3) The error in inventorship of the subject patent occurred without deceptive intent on my part.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the patent,

Date: October 1, 2011

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# STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.324 BY CURRENT NAMED INVENTORS, AGREEING TO THE CHANGE OF INVENTORSHIP

We, Jun-ichi Nezu and Asuka Oku, hereby declare:

- (1) We are original named inventors of the subject matter presently claimed in the abovecaptioned patent.
- (2) We agree to the change of inventorship of the above-captioned patent, adding Akira Tsuji as a joint inventor.

We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the patent.

Date: September 12, 2011 Jun-ichi Nezu

Date: August 1.2011 Asuka Oku

Asuka Oku

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# CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.324

Dear Sir:

CHUGAI SEIYAKU KABUSHIKI KAISHA, a Japanese corporation having a current business at 5-1, Ukima 5-chome, Kita-Ku, Tokyo 115-8543, JAPAN, is the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the above-captioned patent conveyed by the originally named inventors of the subject patent, Jun-ichi Nezu and Asuka Oku, by virtue of a chain of title originating in the aforementioned named inventors. A Certificate under 37 C.F.R. '3.73(b) accompanies this Consent.

CHUGAI SEIYAKU KABUSHIKI KAISHA hereby consents to correction of inventorship of the above-captioned patent, adding Akira Tsuji as joint inventor.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to act on behalf of the Assignee.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the patent.

### CHUGAI SEIYAKU KABUSHIKI KAISHA

Date: Octobin 5, 2011

Printed Name: Masakisa Yamaguchi

Title: Department Manager, Intellectual Property Department

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### CÉRTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. · 3.73(b)

CHUGAI SEIYAKU KABUSHIKI KAISHA, a Japanese corporation having a current business at 5-1, Ukima 5-chome, Kita-Ku, Tokyo 115-8543, JAPAN, is the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the above-captioned patent conveyed by the two originally named inventors, Junichi Nezu and Asuka Oku. The two originally named inventors conveyed their entire right, title and interest in an Assignment to Chugai Research Institute for Molecular Medicine, Inc. recorded on June 26, 2000, at Reel 010933, Frame 0456. Chugai Research Institute for Molecular Medicine, Inc. assigned its entire interest to Chugai Seiyaku Kabushiki Kaisha in a second Assignment recorded on May 7, 2002, at Reel 012878, Frame 0378. To the best of the undersigned's information and belief, ownership of the above-captioned patent is in the Assignee.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to act on behalf of the Assignee.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the patent.

### CHUGAI SEIYAKU KABUSHIKI KAISHA

Date: Cictober 5, 2011

Printed Name: Masahisa Yamaguchi

Title: Department Manager,

Intellectual Property Department